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12 December 1950

Dr. Marion S. Lombard
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Dear Doctor Lombard:

General Smith has asked me to reply to your letter of November 29th, and to express his appreciation of your action in inviting attention to the military implications of poliomyelitis.

Your letter, and the article "Truth about Polio", have been read by those officers of this agency who have a professional concern in the subject matter, and they have expressed interest in seeing any articles which may have been published concerning methods of control of polio employed by the Portland Receiving Barracks in 1944. We should be grateful for any information concerning such articles which you may be able to provide.

Your letter and the enclosed article have been transmitted to the Medical Services Division, Office of the Secretary of Defense, for the information and use of that Division.

With thanks, again, for your cooperation, I am,

Sincerely yours,

JAMES H. ANDREWS
Assistant Director

cc: Central Records

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, Medical Services Division
Office of the Secretary of Defense

SUBJECT: Letter from Dr. Marion S. LOMBARD
concerning poliomyelitis.

1. Transmitted herewith, for your information, is a letter with enclosures received from Dr. Marion S. LOMBARD together with copy of this Agency's reply.

JAMES M. ANDREWS
Assistant Director
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Enclosures